

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Paul J. Buras, et al.	§	
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Serial No.: 10/749,898	§	Group Art Unit: 1755
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Confirmation No.: 8192	§	
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Filed: December 31, 2003	§	Examiner: David M. Brunzman
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For: Process For Preparing Bitumen	§	Attorney Docket No. COS-921
Compositions With Reduced	§	
Hydrogen Sulfide Emission	§	

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Honorable Commissioner:

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED FEBRUARY 7, 2007**

In response to the Office Action and Final Rejection dated February 7, 2007, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on May 7, 2007, Applicants file this Amendment. A terminal disclaimer and a request for a one (1) month extension of time are being concurrently filed.

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